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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re the application of:

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Title: PRODUCTION OF NOVEL NEWCASTLE DISEASE VIRUS STRAINS FROM CDNAs AND IMPROVED LIVE ATTENUATED NEWCASTLE DISEASE VACCINES

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE UNDER 37 CFR §§1.821-825

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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed November 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows: